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Review of Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study Work Plan

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This is to request your review of the Field Sampling Plan, and the Quality Assurance Project Plan that appear in the Remedial Investigation/Feasibility Study (RI/FS) Work Plan as Appendix A and B respectively. The New Jersey Department of Environmental Protection and Energy (NJDEPE) has commented on the draft work plan and received a response from the potentially responsible party's (PRP's) contractor, these comments and responses are also enclosed for your review.

The 40 acre Ventron/Velsicol site operated as a chemical-processing plant from 1929 until 1974. For the majority of the 45 year operating period, untreated mercury-containing waste effluent was discharged into Berry's Creek. In addition, approximately 160 tons of process waste was buried on site. The site is heavily contaminated with mercury, other metals, and PCBs.

As a State lead site, NJDEPE has requested that comments be provided as quickly as possible. To expedite this review process, please submit your comments to Rich Puvogel of my staff on or before April 3, 1993. If you have any questions, please feel free to contact me at (212) 264-0970 or Rich at (212) 264-9836. Thank you for your assistance in this matter.

Attachment

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